GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services-Irrigation and C.A.D.Department-Sri K.B.N.Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation Sub-Division, Amalapuram—Suspension from service –Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & COMMAND AREA DEVELOPMENT (Ser. IV-2) DEPARTMENT.

G.O. RT. No: 1603 Dated: 08 -10-2009.

Read the following:-

- 1. From the Superintending Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Dowlaiswaram letter No: 78 C, Dated: 25.5.2009 addressed to ENC(AW) and copy marked to Government.
- 2. News clippings that appeared in "Surya", Eenadu", "Saakshi", "Vaartha", "Andhra Prabha" and "Andhra Jyothi" between 20.9.09 and 27.9.09 on disruption of works pertaining to Annampalli Project.

ORDER:

Whereas it has come to the notice of the Government of Andhra Pradesh through the reference read above, that Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram had initially applied for casual leave from 19.1.2009 to 22.1.2009 for medical check up at Hyderabad, and later joined duty on 24.1.2009. While he did not apply for extension of leave up to the date of joining, he nevertheless submitted medical bills for reimbursement on 16.02.2009, wherein it was indicated that he was 'under treatment' on 23.01.2009. When the Executive Engineer, Godavari Central Division, after due verification of the medical bills submitted, pointed out to him through a Memo dated 09.03.2009 that the absence of Deputy Executive Engineer on 23.1.2009 needed to be regularized in order to entertain the medical bills submitted for reimbursement, instead of giving a cogent reply to the Memo of the Executive Engineer, Sri K.B.N.Raju, Dy.E.E., went on to question the EE for the delay in calling explanation and on the incumbency of the Executive Engineer, accusing the Executive Engineer of mis-using his powers. The action of the Deputy Executive Engineer amounts to insubordination and indiscipline, and is contrary to the A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964 warranting disciplinary action.

- 2. Whereas it has come to the notice of Government that in another matter, Sri K.B.N. Raju, DEE, released a press note without any authorization from the competent authorities, displaying wanton insubordination and indiscipline. The said press-note was published in 'Vaartha' Daily on 29.1.2009. The action of the Deputy Executive Engineer is contrary to the A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964 and necessitates disciplinary action.
- 3. Whereas it has also been brought to the notice of the Government, that Sri K.B.N.Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, is intentionally harassing Sri K.Babu Rao, Assistant Engineer, Inapuram Section, who belongs to the Scheduled Castes, and Sri N.Satyanarayana, Delta Lascar of Inapuram Section, who also belongs to the Scheduled Castes, without allowing them the salaries for the duties rendered. The action of the above DEE is unbecoming of a Government servant, and is violative of the A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964, warranting disciplinary action against him.
- 4. Whereas it has been brought to the notice of Government, that several news clippings appeared in the "Eenadu," "Saakshi", "Vaarta", "Surya", "Andhra Prabha" and "Andhra Jyothi" Dailies between 20.09.2009 and 27.09.2009, wherein it was mentioned that Sri. K.B.N.Raju, Dy.E.E., is insisting for liquor parties for him and his men on site from the contractors, that he abused the contractors of the Annampalli project in unparliamentary language for not catering to his demands, and owing to the harassment meted out by Sri. K.B.N.Raju, Dy.E.E., the contractors have discontinued the Annampalli project works. The conduct of Sri. K.B.N.Raju, Dy.E.E., is unbecoming of a Government servant, and is violative of the A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules 1964, warranting disciplinary action against him.

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- <u>5</u>. And whereas the Government of Andhra Pradesh after careful consideration of the available material and having due regard to the circumstances of the case, are satisfied that it is necessary to place Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram under suspension, in public interest, pending disciplinary action.
- <u>6</u>. Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Rule (1) of Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby place the said Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram under suspension from the date of communication of this order, and he shall continue to be under suspension until the conclusion of the disciplinary proceedings.
- <u>7</u>. It is further ordered that during the period this order remains in force, the Headquarters of Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram shall be Amalapuram and the said Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram shall not leave the Headquartes without obtaining the prior permission of the undersigned.
- <u>8</u>. During the period of suspension, Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation Sub-division, Amalapuram shall be paid subsistence allowance in accordance with the F.R. 53.
- <u>9</u>. The Engineer-in-Chief (A.W), I&C.A.D.Department is requested to serve the orders on Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram and furnish the dated acknowledgement of the individual immediately to the Government.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S. P. TUCKER PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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Sri K.B.N. Raju, Deputy Executive Engineer, Irrigation sub-division, Amalapuram through ENC(AW), I&C.A.D.Department (2 Copies)

Copy to: The ENC(AW), I&C.A.D. Department, Errum Manzil, Hyderabad.

Copy to: The Superintending Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Dowlaiswaram,

East Godavari District.

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SECTION OFFICER.